Allocations for IRDP and RLEGP

1840. SHRI BAIKUNTHA NATH SAHU: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the amount allocated to different States iri 1988-89 for implementing of Integrated Rural Development Programme and Rural Land Unemployment Guarantee Programme;

(b) how many families in every State got benefit under this programme;

(c) whether Government have merged both these programmes; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DE-VELOPMENT. IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) and (b) The information about the allotment made under thesa programmes and families assisted till January, 1989 under. IRDP and mandays employment generated under RLEGP upto December, 1988 is enclosed in the annexure *I See* Appendix CXLIX, Annexure No. 101 J.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Question does n^t arise.

Allotment of rice of Orissa

1841. SHRI BAIKUNTHA NATH SAHU: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) the total quantum of rice allocated to Orissa from the Central Pool for Public distribution in 1988 (month-wise);

(b) what was the total demand of rice made by the State for that year;

(c) whether the rice allocated to that State in that year was inadequate; and

(d) if so, the details of steps taken to increase the allocation to that State in 1989?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN.THE MINISTRY OE FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI D.L. BAITHA): (a) and (b) The required information is attached statement *(see* below).

(c) The allocation of rice made to Orissa during 1988 was considered adequate.

(d) Does not arise.

Statement

77ie *demand and allotment of rice for Public Distribution System in respect of Orissa during 1988 (Month-wise)*

(In 1000 tonnes)

1988	Demand	Allotment
January	40.0	30.0
Febuary	40.0	20.0
March	40.0	20.0